

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Home (Courts.D) Department – Disciplinary Proceedings against Sri L.Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (now retired from service) – Punishment of 5% cut in pension on permanent basis –Orders– Issued.

LAW (LA&J-HOME-COURTS-D1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 54

Dated:01-06-2013.

Read the following:

- 1). From the Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of A.P., Hyderabad, D.O.Ir.No. 371/2010-VIGILANCE CELL, dt.9.4.2010.
- 2). Government memo No.14027/Cts.D1/2010, dated:02-11-2012
- 3). Explanation letter of individual, dated 28.11.2012.
- 4). Government letter No.14027/Cts.D1/2010, dated:26-02-2013.
- 5). From the Secretary, APPSC, Lr. No.557/RT/1/20113, Dt:16.03.2013.

ORDER :

Whereas, the Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, in the reference 1st read above has stated that the District Judge, Krishna District while forwarding the letter addressed to the Government, along with the Enquiry report, has stated that a regular Departmental Enquiry was ordered against Sri L. Venkatramaiah formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (now retired from service) and Sri Md. Khasim, Junior Assistant working in the unit of District Judge, Krishna and the charges framed against the two individuals were held proved; that being the disciplinary authority, the District Judge, Krishna District has passed final orders against Sri Md. Khasim. Since Sri L. Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District retired from service on 31.12.2008, final decision has to be taken by the Government as per Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980. The Charges framed against the individual are as follows:

While working in the Court of III Metropolitan Magistrate, Vijayawada, (present I Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court Vijayawada) as Superintendent and while in the custody of the Security Deposits and other connected Registers during the 2004 provided information about the descriptive particulars of the deposits made towards security for the release of the accused in C.C.No.1095/2000 and C.C.No.1356/2000 and 623 other cases to the Advocate by name Sri Muralidhar making it possible for him to make money and withdraw the security deposits by approaching the parties or by sending his companions to contact the sureties and thus violated Rule 3 and 14 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964”;

2. And whereas, after careful examination of the entire matter with reference to the records made available, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension, permanently on Sri L.Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (Retired) under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, for the charge held proved against him;

3. And whereas, in the Government Memo 2nd read above, Sri L.Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (Retired) was directed to Show Cause as to why 5% cut in his pension on permanent basis shall not be imposed for misconduct in discharging his duties;

4. And whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, Sri L.Venkatramaiah, has sent his explanation with a request to exonerate him from the charges for reasons mentioned therein;

5. And whereas, the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, has stated that after careful examination of the disciplinary case in the light of the records available, Commission agrees with the proposal of the Government to impose punishment of 5% cut in Pension permanently against Sri L.Venkatramaiah, Superintendent (Retired) and advised accordingly.

6. Now, therefore, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby impose punishment of 5% cut in pension on permanent basis on Sri L. Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (Retired) under Rule 9(2)(a) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 read with rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (C.C.& A.) Rules, 1991.

7. A copy of the letter 5th read above received from the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, is herewith furnished to Sri L. Venkatramaiah, formerly Superintendent, III Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Vijayawada, Krishna District (Retired), as required under Rule-23 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (C.C.& A.) Rules, 1991.

8. The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, is requested to take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A. SANTOSH REDDY,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE.

To

The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The District and Sessions Judge, Krishna District.

The individual through the Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad

Copy to:

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Pay and Accounts Office, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The District Treasury Office, Krishna District.

The Law (E) Department.

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